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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1914.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Frederick Edward Grey Ponsonby, K.C.V.O., C.B., was, by His Majesty's command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1904.

PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.
 Viscount Knollys.
 Lord Chamberlain.
 Sir Edward Goschen.
 Sir Frederick Ponsonby.

WHEREAS by the Isle of Man (War Legislation) Act, 1904, His Majesty has power to extend to the Isle of Man any Act which, in the opinion of His Majesty, was passed for the purpose of meeting any Emergency created by the present War, subject to adaptations for the purpose of making the Act applicable to the Isle of Man:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Intoxicating Liquor (temporary Restriction) Act, 1914, shall extend to the Isle of Man, adapted as set out in the Schedule hereto.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

SCHEDULE.

Restriction of Sale or Consumption of Intoxicating Liquor.

1.—(1) The District Licensing Court for any Licensing District may, if they think fit, upon the recommendation of the Chief Officer of Police that it is desirable for the maintenance of order or the suppression of drunkenness in any area, by Order direct that the sale or consumption of intoxicating liquor on the premises of any persons holding any retailers' licence in the area, and the supply or consumption of intoxicating liquor in any club in the area, shall be suspended while the Order is in operation, during such hours and subject to such conditions and exceptions (if any) as may be specified in the Order.

Provided that, if any such Order suspends the sale, supply, or consumption of intoxicating liquor at an hour earlier than nine at night, the Order shall not have effect until approved by the Lieutenant Governor.

(2) If any person acts in contravention of, or fails to comply with, any Order under this section, he shall be liable on conviction before a High Bailiff or two Justices of the Peace in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds. If any person feels aggrieved by a conviction

under this section, he may appeal therefrom to the Staff of Government Division of the High Court of Justice in manner provided by section 14 of the Petty Sessions Act, 1864.

(3) The District Licensing Court shall have power to make an Order under this section at their yearly Session or at any special Sessions held by them for the purpose of their duties under the Licensing Acts, 1876 to 1909, or at any Meeting specially called for the purpose under this Act.

The Clerk to the District Licensing Court shall specially call such a Meeting if an application in writing is made to him for the purpose either by the High Bailiff of the District or by the Chief Officer of Police for the District.

Interpretation.

2.—(1) In this Act the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them:—

“Club” means any club which occupies a house or part of a house or any other premises habitually used for the purposes of a club, and in which any intoxicating liquor is supplied to members or their guests.

“Retailers’ licence” means a public-house licence, a retail liquor licence, or a transfer licence as defined by the Licensing Act, 1876, or a short term licence as defined by the Licensing Act, 1895.

“Chief Officer of Police” means the Chief Constable of the Isle of Man, and, in the case of his absence from duty on the ground of illness, absence from the Island, or otherwise, the Superintendent of Police of the Isle of Man.

(2) This Act may be cited as the Intoxicating Liquor (Temporary Restriction) Act, 1914.

(3) This Act shall remain in force during the continuance of the present War, and for a period of one month after the close thereof.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING’s Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Viscount Knollys.

Lord Chamberlain.

Sir Edward Goschen.

Sir Frederick Ponsonby.

WHEREAS by the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts, 1890 and 1913, it is, amongst other things, provided that it shall be lawful for His Majesty in Council by Order to direct that sections 34, 35, and 36 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, shall extend, with or without any exceptions, adaptations, or modifications in the Order mentioned, to any foreign country in which for the time being His Majesty has jurisdiction, and that thereupon those sections shall, to the extent of that jurisdiction, operate as if that country were a British Possession, and as if His Majesty in Council were the Legislature of that Possession:

And whereas by treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, His Majesty the King

has power and jurisdiction in the East Africa Protectorate, the Nyasaland Protectorate, Southern Rhodesia, Swaziland, Wei-hai-Wei, and Zanzibar:

And whereas it is expedient that sections 34, 35, and 36 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, should be extended to the said Protectorates:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts, 1890 and 1913, or otherwise in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that sections 34, 35, and 36 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, shall from the date of this Order apply to the East Africa Protectorate, the Nyasaland Protectorate, Southern Rhodesia, Swaziland, Wei-hai-Wei, and Zanzibar, as though each of the said Protectorates were a Colony within the meaning of the said sections.

And the Right Honourable Lewis Harcourt, His Majesty’s Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING’s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 12th day of November 1914, in the words following, viz.:—

“Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty’s Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner, and subject to such restrictions, conditions, and provisions, as are from time to time directed by Order in Council:

“And whereas we have had under our consideration the desirability of establishing a new rating of Signal Boy, Royal Naval Reserve, (Trawler Section):

“We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction provision being made for the payment of Signal Boys, Royal Naval Reserve (Trawler Section), at the rate of 1s. a day, this rate to be payable to all Signal Boys already enrolled in the Trawler Reserve.

The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty’s Treasury have signified their concurrence in the foregoing proposal.”

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 14th day of November 1914, in the words following, viz. :—

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner, and subject to such restrictions, conditions, and provisions, as are from time to time directed by Order in Council :

"And whereas certain changes have been made in the administration of the Recruiting Service necessitating the appointment of a separate Officer in charge of the London (Headquarter) Recruiting District (hitherto in charge of the Inspector of Recruiting), and the appointment of a Quartermaster, Royal Marines, on the staff of the Inspector of Recruiting :

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the provision of the following emoluments for these posts :—

"(1) The Recruiting Staff Officer in charge of the London (Headquarter) Recruiting District to be paid a consolidated salary of £250 per annum without allowances except when travelling on duty, and to be allowed to draw retired pay in full without deduction.

"(2) The Quartermaster, Royal Marines, on the Staff of the Inspector of Recruiting to receive the pay and allowances of the rank together with Staff Allowance at the rate of 5s. a day.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in these proposals."

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 18th day of November 1914, in the words following, viz. :—

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted,

inter alia, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner, and subject to such restrictions, conditions, and provisions, as are from time to time directed by Order in Council :

"And whereas the Regulations for the government of Your Majesty's Naval Service authorise the grant of Hard-Lying Money to Officers and Men serving in Torpedo Boats and Torpedo Boat Destroyers in or out of Commission and in other Ships in Commission only when temporarily commissioned for steam trials, &c. :

"And whereas during present hostilities we have found it necessary to engage and to commission certain Steam Tugs and various other small Vessels in which the conditions of service are as arduous, and the employment as deserving of extra remuneration, as in the Torpedo Craft above mentioned :

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the payment, of Hard-Lying Money, at our discretion, at the rates authorised for service in Torpedo Boats or Torpedo Boat Destroyers respectively, to Officers and Men employed in small Vessels commissioned for present War Service, subject to the following conditions :—

"1. That the accommodation on board is not superior to that on a Torpedo Boat or a Torpedo Boat Destroyer :

"2. That persons specially engaged for the service at inclusive rates of pay shall not be granted Hard-Lying Money :

"3. That the allowance be paid only for the duration of the War or the necessary continuance of war conditions :

"4. That the ranks and ratings to whom the allowance is paid live and sleep on board the vessels.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in these proposals."

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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"And whereas we are of opinion that the duties and responsibilities devolving upon the Chief Ship's Cooks who are placed in charge of the Bakeries at the Royal Naval Barracks at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Devonport, are such as to warrant the grant of additional remuneration:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction an allowance of Six Pence a day being paid to the Chief Ship's Cook or other Cook Rating in charge of the Bakery at each of the establishments above mentioned.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal."

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of November 1914.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 26th day of November 1914, in the words following, viz:—

"Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted that all pay, wages, pensions, bounty money, grants, or other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine force to a person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine, or to the Widow or any relative of a deceased Officer, Seaman, or Marine, shall be paid in such manner, and subject to such restrictions, conditions, and provisions, as are from time to time directed by Order in Council:

"And whereas we have had under our consideration the Regulations governing the award of pensions and compassionate allowances to the Widows and Children of Officers of Your Majesty's Navy, Naval Reserve, and Naval Volunteer Reserve:

"And whereas we are of opinion that certain alterations are desirable in those Regulations:

"We, therefore, beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorise

the alterations of Regulations specified in the attached Schedule.

"The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in the proposal.

"SCHEDULE.

"1. The period within which death must have resulted (in cases where it is attributable to the service) in order to render the Widow and Children eligible for the higher rates of pension and compassionate allowances, to be extended from 2 years to 7 years.

"2. The pensions and compassionate allowances at present approved for Assistant Paymasters of 6 years' seniority to be granted in future to Widows and Children of Assistant Paymasters of 4 years seniority.

"3. Compassionate allowances on the following scale to be provided for the Widows of Sub-Lieutenants, Assistant Paymasters of under 4 years' seniority, and Engineer Sub-Lieutenants, viz:—

"(a) If the Officer be killed in action or die from wounds received in action, scale £12-£14.

"(b) If the Officer be drowned or suffer other violent death in an immediate act of duty, scale £9-£12.

"4. Widows, Children, and other relatives of Officers who may have been granted temporary Commissions, or have held acting appointments, to be eligible for pensions and allowances on the same scales as are prescribed for Officers of similar ranks holding permanent Commissions in the Royal Navy."

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, December 1, 1914.

PRIZE COURTS ACT, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that, after the expiration of forty days from the date hereof, it is proposed to submit to His Majesty in Council the Draft of an Order in Council for the amendment of the Rules of Court regulating the procedure and practice of Prize Courts, approved as *provisional* Rules under Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, by Order in Council of the 5th August 1914, and confirmed by Order in Council of the 17th September 1914.

The said amending Rules were approved as *provisional* Rules under Section 2 of the last-named Act by Order in Council of the 28th November 1914.

Notice is hereby further given that, in accordance with the provisions of the last-named Act, copies of the proposed Rules can be obtained by any public body within forty days of the date of this Notice, at the Privy Council Office, Whitehall.

VESSELS DETAINED OR CAPTURED AT SEA BY HIS MAJESTY'S ARMED FORCES.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the Edinburgh Gazette of November 24, 1914.)

Name and Tonnage.	<i>List of Vessels.</i>	
	Nationality.	Where Detained.
Altair (3220) ... Bjornstjerne	German ...	Alexandria.
Bjornson ...	Norwegian	Leith.
Concadoro (1793) ...	Austrian ...	Alexandria.
Fram ...	Norwegian	Kirkwall.
Fridland ...	Swedish ...	Kirkwall.
Kara Deniz (5012) ...	Turkish ...	Bombay.
Kim ...	Norwegian	Falmouth.
Sigrun ...	Norwegian	Newport (Mon.)

LIST OF SHIPS WHOSE CARGOES, OR PART OF THEM, HAVE BEEN DETAINED.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the Edinburgh Gazette of November 24, 1914.)

Name of Vessel.	<i>List of Vessels.</i>	
	Nationality.	Cargo Detained at
Anselm ...	British ...	Liverpool.
Antigone ...	British ...	London.
Asturian ...	British ...	Liverpool.
Brescia ...	British ...	Liverpool.
Craigisla ...	Norwegian	Simons Bay.
Danube ...	British ...	London.
Egba ...	British ...	Liverpool.
Elizabethville ...	Belgian ...	Liverpool.
Erato ...	British ...	London.
Jeanne Cordonnier	French ...	Cork.
Kalomo ...	British ...	London.
Orcoma ...	British ...	Liverpool.
Perseus ...	British ...	London.
Prinz Maritz ...	Netherland	Trinidad.
Salybia ...	British ...	Trinidad.
Serasia ...	British ...	London.
Tyr ...	Norwegian	Glasgow.

Foreign Office,
November 30, 1914.

FOREIGN OFFICE, October 1, 1914.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

John George Ralph Marsh, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for Goa, to reside at Marmagao.

FOREIGN OFFICE, October 16, 1914.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Hugh Lloyd Thomas, Esq., to be a Third Secretary in His Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 9, 1914.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Edward Francis Gray, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Kingdom of Norway, with the exception of the town of Bergen, to reside at Christiania; and

John Oliver Wardrop, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Bergen.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 11, 1914.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Ernest Hambloch, Esq., to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Båle.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 12, 1914.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

William Wiseman, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul for the States of Oaxaca, Guerrero, and Chiapas, to reside at Salina Cruz.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 14, 1914.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Señor Don Joaquin de Estrada Saneristobal as Vice-Consul of Uruguay at Toronto.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 18, 1914.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Walter Risley Hearn, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Departments of Seine, Seine-et-Marne, Marne, Seine-et-Oise, Oise, Eure-et-Loire, Loiret, Loir-et-Cher, Indre, Indre-et-Loire, Meuse, Meurthe-et-Moselle, Aube, Haute Marne, Vosges, Yonne, Côte d'Or, Haute Saône, Belfort, Nièvre, Doubs, Aisne, Ardennes, Mayenne, Mayne-et-Loire, and Sarthe, to reside at Paris.

FOREIGN OFFICE, November 21, 1914.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Mr. Raymond Augustine Burke as Consul of Peru at Belfast for Ulster;

Mr. James C. Monaghan as Consul of the United States of America at Kingston, Jamaica;

Mr. S. L. Melville Heard as Vice-Consul of Greece at Newport; and

Señor Don Francisca Tabernilla y Dolz as Vice-Consul of Cuba at Halifax, Canada.

BUCKINGHAM PALACE, November 27, 1914.

This day had Audience of the KING—

Monsieur Pantcho Hadji-Mischef, to present the Letters of Recall of his predecessor, Monsieur Michel I. Madjaroff, and his own Letters of Credence as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of the Bulgarians.

WHITEHALL, November 30, 1914.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Frederick Alexander Jamieson, Esq., Locomotive and Works Superintendent, Peking-Mukden Railway, Tongshau, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Sixth Class of the Order of the Excellent Crop, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by the President of the Republic of China, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 1456 of the Edinburgh Gazette of December 1st, 1914, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Courts named below in respect of the following vessels. Appearance should be entered by all persons claiming an interest in any ship or cargo as soon as possible.

—	Prize Court.	Name of Ship.
India	High Court of Judicature, Bombay	Karadeniz.

India Office,
30th November 1914.

—	Prize Court.	Name of Ship.
Sierra Leone	Supreme Court of Sierra Leone	Liberia.
Trinidad	Supreme Court of Trinidad	*Prins Marits.

* Proceedings only in respect of cargo claimed as Prize.

Colonial Office,
30th November 1914.

RESULTS OF PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

(In continuation of Notification on page 1437 of Edinburgh Gazette of 27th November 1914.)

—	Prize Court.	Name of Ship.	Nationality of Ship.	Result of Proceedings.
Union of South Africa	The Cape of Good Hope Provincial Division of the Supreme Court.	Birkenfels	German	Ship condemned.
		Seeadler	ditto	Ship ordered to be detained until further Order issued by the Court.
		Sturmvogel	ditto	Ship ordered to be detained until further Order issued by the Court.

Colonial Office,
30th November 1914.

WAR OFFICE, December 1, 1914.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointment of the undermentioned Officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order, in recognition of their services with the Expeditionary Force, specified below:—

Lieutenant Eric Litchfield Brooke Anderson, Royal Field Artillery.

On 26th September displayed conspicuous bravery with his gun in infantry firing line, bringing it out of its emplacement to meet enemy's infantry attack. The gun was struck by a shell, and he and three of detachment were wounded.

Second Lieutenant Henry Noel Atkinson, 3rd Battalion, The Cheshire Regiment.

For conspicuous gallantry under a heavy fire from front and both flanks, by collecting a few men and checking the enemy, thereby facilitating the retirement of his comrades.

Lieutenant Cuthbert Savile Baines, 2nd Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

Did good work in attack on October 21st, pushing on when all his company Officers were killed or wounded; also good work in repelling attacks on 22nd and 23rd October.

Lieutenant Frederick Herbert Blackwood, attached 1st Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment.

On 1st November, at Wytschaete, during an attack on village, rallied and kept men in their places after every company commander had been killed or wounded, showing great gallantry and coolness under heavy fire.

Lieutenant Ralph Blewitt, Royal Field Artillery.

Gallant and skilful handling of a single gun in support of infantry on the road to Ghelivult on 31st October, being all the time under heavy fire. This action was of greatest use to the infantry.

Captain The Honourable Ernest William Maitland Molyneux Brabazon, 3rd Battalion, Coldstream Guards.

Has shown conspicuous efficiency in Staff duties and in keeping up communication with a long line of front composed of many units, where communication was often difficult. He has carried and delivered messages under fire with promptness and despatch.

Major Albemarle Bertie Edward Cator, Scots Guards.

He commanded 20th Brigade in action for five days after the Brigadier was wounded, and has shown an example of cheerfulness and optimism which has helped materially to pull it together.

Lieutenant Charles Ralph Congreve, 2nd Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry.

On 28th October saved the life of Captain Wallace by bringing him when wounded into cover under heavy fire.

Lieutenant Richard Banastre Crosse, 2nd Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

As Adjutant, for consistent good work throughout the campaign.

Lieutenant Joseph Leslie Dent, 2nd Battalion, The South Staffordshire Regiment.

On October 7th located an enemy's trench by daring scouting at night, subsequently rushing it with two sections and driving enemy away.

Second Lieutenant Leonard Maurice Edward Dent, 6th Dragoon Guards (Special Reserve).

For gallantry during the operations between 27th October and 1st November, in volunteering whenever a difficult piece of work had to be done (wounded).

Captain James Stuart Dunne, Royal Army Medical Corps.

During German attack on night of 31st October, near Messines, he established a dressing station just behind the trenches, and was the means of saving many lives, he himself going several times into the trenches to attend to wounded men who could not be moved.

Major Henry Marion Durand, 9th (Queen's Royal) Lancers, Brigade Major, 4th Cavalry Brigade.

During night attack by Germans near Messines on 31st October—1st November, volunteered to go to the support trenches to ascertain situation, and brought back information, displaying coolness and nerve.

Lieutenant Rudolph Edmund Aloysius Viscount Feilding, Coldstream Guards (Special Reserve), attached 3rd Battalion.

Conspicuous gallantry in leading platoon during attack on 21st October. He handled it with skill, and held an advanced post for two days under heavy shell fire. Has done other good work in preparing defensive positions.

Major Arthur Baron Forman, Royal Horse Artillery.

For exceptionally good work during the operations of 23rd October to 4th November, near Messines, during which time he did splendid work directing and observing fire, day after day, from a very exposed position under heavy shell fire.

Captain Charles Vincent Fox, 2nd Battalion, Scots Guards.

Conspicuous gallantry at Kruseik, in which action he captured five officers and 200 prisoners.

Captain Edward Stephen Gibbons, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).

Displayed great coolness and zeal in action at Le Maisnil on 21st October in a serious emergency.

Lieutenant Frank Hugh Gunner, 2nd Battalion, The South Staffordshire Regiment.

Conspicuous and consistent good work, in charge of machine-gun section, 12th September to 4th November—almost continually in action: displayed greatest courage, coolness and judgment in difficult and dangerous situations.

Lieutenant Lord Claud Nigel Hamilton, 1st Battalion, Grenadier Guards.

Commanded machine-gun for five days and

nights in forward trenches without relief, with great effect and under severe fire.

Lieutenant Arthur Alan Hanbury Hanbury-Sparrow, 1st Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment).

Has done good work throughout the campaign. Was severely wounded during an attack on German position Paschendaele-Becelaere road, which resulted in taking enemy's trenches and seventy prisoners.

Lieutenant Ralph Escott Hancock, 1st Battalion, The Devonshire Regiment.

On 23rd October displayed conspicuous gallantry in leaving his trench under very heavy fire, and going back some 60 yards over absolutely bare ground to pick up Corporal Warwick, who had fallen whilst coming up with a party of reinforcements.

Lieutenant Hancock conveyed this Non-commissioned Officer to the cover of a haystack, and then returned to his trench. (Since killed in action.)

Second Lieutenant Henry William Huggins, Royal Field Artillery.

Conspicuous gallantry in going forward to a cottage between the German trenches and our own, so as to be better able to direct his battery's fire. He remained there for three days under heavy rifle fire, directing with success by telephone.

Captain Lord Alastair Robert Innes-Ker, Royal Horse Guards.

During critical situation at Kruseik, on 26th October, the regiment was sent to relieve pressure of determined attack. The operation was entirely successful. Captain Innes-Ker showed conspicuous courage with the advance squadron, bringing wounded men out of action under very heavy fire.

Captain John Edmund Valentine Isaac, Reserve of Officers, The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own).

Has shown conspicuous gallantry on all occasions. Has always obtained reliable and valuable information when required.

On 24th October he guided a unit to a critical point with great skill, which resulted in checking the enemy. Was wounded in the engagement.

Lieutenant John Peake Knight, Royal Field Artillery.

Conspicuous and consistent gallantry in assisting infantry, especially on 10th November. Has shown himself full of enterprise and initiative. His work has much encouraged the infantry.

Lieutenant Hubert Stanley Kreyer, 2nd Battalion, Alexandra, Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment).

Has shown conspicuous gallantry on several occasions in conveying messages along the trenches under heavy fire. His commanding officer considers that it was largely due to the services rendered by this officer on one occasion that the battalion was extricated from a difficult position.

Captain Cameron Lamb, 2nd Battalion, The Border Regiment.

Repeated gallantry and exceptionally good work scouting daily in and amongst enemy's lines.

Second Lieutenant Humphrey Willis Chetwode LLOYD, 1st Battalion, The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment).

On 19th October led an attack and effected an important lodgment in enemy's lines, from which he was subsequently withdrawn, as general advance was checked.

Has acted for Adjutant for a month, and has always volunteered and performed good work with information patrols.

Lieutenant James Kenneth McConnel, 20th Hussars.

For coolness, gallantry, and exceptionally good work during the operations of 23rd October to 4th November near Messines, and for exceptionally good service in covering with his machine guns the retirement of his regiment from the trenches with great skill and gallantry on 1st November, near Messines.

Lieutenant Wilnot Edward Maitland-Dougall, Royal Field Artillery.

Conspicuous enterprise in spotting the shield of an enemy's gun only 600 yards away, getting up a gun into the firing line, successfully knocking enemy's gun out, and also checking the enemy's infantry advance.

Lieutenant Kevin John Martin, Royal Engineers.

Conspicuous gallantry in taking his section across heavily fire-swept ground to prepare a house with loopholes from which our infantry hoped to be able to overcome enemy, who were fortified in some other neighbouring buildings. He successfully placed a machine gun in position and helped the infantry for the rest of the day.

Again on 12th November did good work, and was wounded.

Lieutenant Stewart Graham Menzies, 2nd Life Guards.

Showed the greatest coolness during the attack on German position led by Major the Honourable A. F. Stanley, 1st Life Guards, on the 7th November, in support of the right flank of the 4th Guards Brigade, and again on the evening of that day.

Captain Lord Francis George Montagu Douglas Scott, Grenadier Guards (attached Irish Guards).

For persistent and gallant efforts to rally the battalion when much shaken after heavy losses, and by helping to restore steadiness by his good example.

Captain Bernard Law Montgomery, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Conspicuous gallant leading on 13th October, when he turned the enemy out of their trenches with the bayonet. He was severely wounded.

Lieutenant Laurence Cail Nicholson, 3rd (Attached 1st) Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment).

Led and commanded his platoon admirably during an attack on German position Paschendaele-Becelaere Road, which resulted in the taking of the enemy's trenches and 70 prisoners. (Has since died of his wounds.)

Captain Norman Archibald Orr-Ewing, Scots Guards (attached Irish Guards).

For persistent and gallant efforts to rally the battalion when much shaken after its heavy losses, and by his good example helping to restore it to its usual steadiness.

Lieutenant Edmund Archibald Osborne, Royal Engineers.

Repeated gallantry and coolness in action on 31st October. He recovered a cable wagon which had been abandoned by the enemy. Has frequently shown great capacity for command.

Captain Frank Lionel Pardoe, 1st Battalion, The King's Royal Rifle Corps.

On 30th September and previous days this officer carried messages under rifle and shell fire. He was knocked down by a shell, but did not relinquish his duty.

Captain George Camborne Beauclerk Paynter, 2nd Battalion, Scots Guards.

On night of 24th October, while in command of battalion, fought his trenches all night against repeated attacks from front and rear.

Second Lieutenant Hugh Valentine Pendavis, 3rd (attached 2nd) Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

On 3rd November, conspicuous good work in advancing from his trench and assisting in driving away a party of the enemy who were commencing to dig a new trench within 30 yards of his own. Thirty of the enemy were shot down on this occasion.

Second Lieutenant Francis Pepys, 2nd Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

On 3rd November, conspicuous good work in advancing from his trench and assisting in driving away a party of the enemy who were commencing to dig a new trench within 30 yards of his own. Thirty of the enemy were shot down on the occasion. (Since killed in action.)

Lieutenant William Charles Rait Kerr, Royal Field Artillery.

Gallant conduct in bringing up a gun to within 250 yards of the enemy in a wood, and blowing down a house in which the enemy were working a machine gun. (Since killed in action.)

Second Lieutenant James Reginald Russell, 1st Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

For exceptional gallantry and grit in the firing line in trenches near Neuve Chapelle, between 23rd and 29th of October.

Lieutenant George Ellis Sampson, The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers (Army Signal Service).

On 30th September and previous days this officer carried messages under rifle and shell fire. He was knocked down by a shell, but did not relinquish his duty.

Captain Patrick Sampson, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Has shown frequent and conspicuous gallantry throughout the campaign, especially on 21st and 22nd of October, attending wounded men under very heavy shell fire.

Lieutenant Edmond Charles Acton Schreiber, Royal Field Artillery.

Very gallant conduct on 14th September in saving horses which had become entangled in blocked road, and man-handling guns away from a position which had become untenable from a very heavy shell fire, continuing to work, although wounded.

Lieutenant Aubrey Vere Spencer, 3rd Battalion, The Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry.

Good work in attack on 21st October, and in repelling night attacks on 21st, 22nd, and 23rd October.

Major The Honourable Algernon Francis Stanley, 1st Life Guards.

On 7th November, led his regiment with great resolution and skill during an advance to support and protect the right flank of the 4th Guards Brigade, which had become uncovered by the retreat of a portion of the line. He held on to his position although out of touch on either flank, and thereby materially helped the 4th Guards Brigade to re-establish their line during the following night.

Captain Sidney John Steward, Royal Army Medical Corps (Special Reserve).

Went with party of stretch-bearers across ground swept by rifle and shell fire to Langemark village, and removed 11 wounded men.

Lieutenant Herbert William Vansittart Stewart, 2nd Battalion, The Royal Scots Fusiliers.

On 23rd October, when two German machine guns were enfilading his trench at 200 yards range, he went out and shot down two teams, one after the other, and silenced the guns.

Captain Frederick Courtney Tanner, attached 2nd Battalion, The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment).

By gallant leading forced passage of canal north of Vielle Chapelle on 12th October, and was largely responsible for success of general operations. Has invariably done well.

Captain Thomas Balfour Traill, 1st Battalion, The Royal Scots Fusiliers.

After being wounded in the knee, rode back under fire for reinforcements, returned and remained with his company during retirement (August 23rd).

Second Lieutenant Dudley Ralph Turnbull, 1st Battalion, The Gordon Highlanders.

Conspicuous gallantry on 13th October in serving his Maxim gun when detachment were all wounded, until he also was wounded, in two places, and his gun damaged by a shell. He subsequently recovered the gun, bringing it away on his shoulder.

Lieutenant Henry Colville Barclay Wemyss, Royal Engineers.

Has shown conspicuous efficiency in Staff duties, and in keeping up communication with a long

line of front composed of many units, where communication was often difficult. He has carried and delivered messages under fire with promptness and despatch.

Lieutenant Henry Basil Haydon White, 1st Battalion, The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment).

Near Neuve Chapelle, for bringing his battalion out of action after ten successive days in the trenches, during which time he showed great powers of leadership and determination of a high order.

Second Lieutenant Osmond Williams, 2nd Dragoons (Royal Scots Greys).

For general gallant service near Messines in ascertaining under fire the progress of night operations, and especially on night of 31st October for leading 12th Lancers to position for counter attack in which he took part, accounting for eleven of the enemy himself.

Captain James Edward Somerville Woodman, 2nd Battalion, The Lancashire Fusiliers.

Commanded three companies of his regiment in attack on Le Touquet, and afterwards commanded the section of defence which included that village.

Captain The Honourable Edward Scawen Wyndham, 1st Life Guards.

Near Messines on 31st October—1st November, during night attack by Germans, after some of his trenches had been taken and himself wounded, he counter-attacked, retook the trenches, and subsequently withdrew his squadron.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 1781 of the year 1914.

UNITED KINGDOM.

New Pilotage Stations to be established at certain Ports on account of defensive Mine-fields.

Former Notice.—No. 1752 of 1914, hereby cancelled.

In view of the extension of the system of Mine defence, notice is hereby given that on and after the 27th November, Pilotage will be compulsory at the following ports for all vessels (including fishing vessels) which have a draught of over eight feet, and that it will be highly dangerous for any vessel to enter or leave such ports without a pilot. Fishing and other small vessels having a draught of over eight feet should assemble at the Pilotage stations and will be conducted into and out of port in groups.

- (1) **RIVER HUMBER.**—All incoming vessels must call for a Pilot at a station which is to be established seven miles E.S.E. (magnetic) from Spurn Point.

Outgoing vessels are to discharge their pilots at the same station.

- (2) **RIVER TYNE.**—All incoming vessels from the northward must call for a pilot off Blyth, and those from the southward off the River Wear.

Outgoing vessels are to discharge their pilots off one or the other of these places.

- (3) **FIRTH OF FORTH.**—All incoming vessels must call for a pilot at a station to be established on the Isle of May.

Outgoing vessels are to discharge their pilots at the same station.

It will be dangerous for any vessel to be under way to the westward of the Isle of May without a pilot.

- (4) **MORAY FIRTH.**—All vessels bound to Cromarty or Inverness must call for a pilot at Wick or Burghead.

Outgoing vessels are to discharge their pilots at one or the other of these places.

It will be dangerous for any vessel to be under way to the south-westward of a line joining Findhorn and Tarbetness without a pilot.

- (5) **SCAPA FLOW.**—All entrances are dangerous.

Examination services have been established in the entrances to Hoxa and Hoy sounds; vessels wishing to enter must communicate with the Examination vessel and follow the instructions received from her very carefully.

The only vessels permitted to enter Hoy sound from the westward are those bound for Stromness; vessels cannot enter Scapa Flow from Stromness.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

By Command of their Lordships,

J. F. PARRY,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Department, Admiralty,
London,
26th November 1914.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

INLAND WRITTEN TELEGRAMS.

The Telegraph (Inland Written Telegram) Amendment (No. 5) Regulations, 1914.

In pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, His Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice, that Regulations dated the 27th day of November 1914, and coming into operation on the second day of December 1914, have been made by him, with the consent of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, amending the Telegraph (Inland Written Telegram) Regulations, 1898.

And the Postmaster-General further gives notice, that copies of the said Regulations may be purchased either directly or through any bookseller from Wyman & Sons Ltd., Fetter Lane, E.C., His Majesty's Stationery Office (Scottish Branch), 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh, or Edward Ponsonby, 116 Grafton Street, Dublin.

Dated this 30th day of November 1914.

CROMPTON LLEWELYN DAVIES,
Solicitor to the Post Office.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,
1894 TO 1914.
RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE
FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended
28th November 1914, distinguishing Counties
(including Burghs):—

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.
	No.	No.
Ayr	1	2
TOTAL	1	2

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908:—

Aberdeenshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Aberdeen, Argyll, Banff, Bute, Caithness, Clackmannan, Elgin, Fife, Forfar, Inverness, Kincardine, Kinross, Nairn, Orkney, Perth, Ross and Cromarty, Stirling, Sutherland, and Zetland, and the detached part of the County of Dumbarton; the Cities of Aberdeen, Dundee, and Perth; and the Burghs of Peterhead, Campbeltown, Elgin, Dunfermline, Kirkcaldy, Arbroath, Brechin, Forfar, Montrose, Inverness, Falkirk, and Stirling (1st October 1911).—See also under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Argyllshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Ayrshire.—An Area comprising the County of Ayr, and the Burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock (1st October 1911).

Banffshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Berwickshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Berwick, Roxburgh, and Selkirk, and the Burghs of Hawick and Galashiels, and also comprising the Parish of Stow, in the County of Midlothian (1st October 1911).

Buteshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Caithness.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Clackmannan.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Dumbartonshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumbarton (except its detached part), Lanark, Peebles, and Renfrew, and the Burghs of Airdrie, Dumbarton, Greenock, Hamilton, Paisley, Port-Glasgow, and Rutherglen, and the City of Glasgow (1st October 1911).—See also under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Dumfriesshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumfries and Kirkcudbright, and the Burgh of Dumfries (1st October 1911).

Elgin.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Fife.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Forfarshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Haddingtonshire.—An Area comprising the County of Haddington (1st October 1911).

Inverness-shire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kincardineshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kinross.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kirkcudbrightshire.—See under Dumfriesshire, &c.

Lanarkshire.—See under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Linlithgow, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Linlithgow and Midlothian (except the Parish of Stow), the Burghs of Leith and Musselburgh, and the City of Edinburgh (1st October 1911).—See also under Berwickshire, &c.

Midlothian.—See under Linlithgow, &c., and also under Berwickshire, &c.

Nairn.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Orkney.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Peebles.—See under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Perthshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Renfrew.—See under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Ross and Cromarty.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Roxburghshire.—See under Berwickshire, &c.

Selkirkshire.—See under Berwickshire, &c.

Stirlingshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Sutherland.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Wigtownshire.—An Area comprising the County of Wigtown (1st October 1911).

Zetland.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under-mentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 28th November 1914, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs):—

ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Animals Attacked.			
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aberdeen	1	1	—	—	—
Banff	1	1	—	—	—
Berwick	1	1	—	—	—
TOTAL	3	3	—	—	—

SHEEP SCAR.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.
	No.
Ross and Cromarty	1
TOTAL	1

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
1st December 1914.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 28th November 1914, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		Quantities.	
		1913.	1914.
Animals, living :—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	Number	50	33
Sheep and Lambs	"	—	—
Swine	"	—	—
Horses	"	234	1
Fresh Meat :—			
Beef (including Refrigerated and Frozen)	Cwts.	86,953	241,397
Mutton	"	46,082	126,217
Pork	"	16,693	24,914
Meat, unenumerated, Fresh (including Refrigerated and Frozen)	"	7,751	14,190
Salted or Preserved Meats :—			
Bacon	"	88,202	91,329
Beef	"	1,462	349
Hams	"	24,245	15,511
Pork	"	2,873	5,642
Meat, unenumerated, salted	"	1,296	3,956
Meat, preserved, otherwise than by salting (including Tinned and Canned)	"	12,631	37,514
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—			
Butter	"	73,497	61,993
Margarine	"	32,096	35,136
Cheese	"	61,724	55,164
Milk, Fresh, in cans or drums	"	—	117
" Cream	"	127	146
" Condensed	"	29,334	32,676
" Preserved, other kinds	"	1,322	265
Eggs	Great Hundreds	488,434	426,190
Poultry	Value £	7,464	986
Game	"	1,695	1,627
Rabbits, dead (Fresh and Frozen)	Cwts.	11,965	22,053
Lard	"	51,295	41,220
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—			
Wheat	"	1,256,500	1,952,500
Wheat Meal and Flour	"	310,400	282,500
Barley	"	691,800	575,500
Oats	"	165,900	413,200
Peas	"	20,830	5,960
Beans	"	120,930	3,590
Maize or Indian Corn	"	599,000	1,338,300
Fruit, Raw :—			
Apples	"	106,174	86,554
Apricots and Peaches	"	—	—
Bananas	Bunches	88,839	135,657
Cherries	Cwts.	—	—
Currants	"	—	—
Gooseberries	"	—	—
Grapes	"	2,231	12,352
Lemons	"	11,777	4,414
Oranges	"	176,802	159,032
Pears	"	15,086	7,569
Plums	"	—	—
Strawberries	"	—	—
Unenumerated	"	2,189	389
Hay	Tons.	479	—
Straw	"	81	—
Moss Litter	"	2,232	1,020
Hops	Cwts.	22,346	3,933
Locust Beans	"	21,663	26,420
Vegetables, Raw :—			
Onions	Bushels	217,111	215,626
Potatoes	Cwts.	68,638	29
Tomatoes	"	23,301	9,645
Unenumerated	Value £	9,366	2,731
Vegetables, Dried	Cwts.	12,737	5,772
" Preserved by canning	"	22,750	11,217

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure, * as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns, in the Week ended 28th November 1914, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	75,997	1	41	11
Barley	...	...	...	150,615	7	30	3
Oats	...	...	...	33,761	7	25	8

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1907 to 1913.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1907 ...	54,629	3	230,084	4	38,926	6	34	7	27	1	18	6
1908 ...	102,686	5	176,766	0	31,521	5	32	7	27	2	17	4
1909 ...	97,695	4	204,120	3	29,428	2	33	3	26	1	17	4
1910 ...	67,231	3	189,603	2	25,629	6	30	6	24	7	16	7
1911 ...	66,384	4	106,296	0	18,412	1	32	10	33	10	20	11
1912 ...	55,248	7	141,128	7	19,111	4	31	9	30	8	19	8
1913 ...	54,050	1	167,427	7	23,137	6	30	9	27	0	18	4

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
3 St. James's Square, London, S.W.,
28th November 1914.

R. H. REW.

FIFE COUNTY COUNCIL.
KIRKCALDY DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a Special Meeting of the Kirkcaldy District Committee of the County Council of the County of Fife, held at Kirkcaldy on 26th November 1914, it was unanimously resolved, on the Requisitions of (1) the Parish Council of the Parish of Markinch, and (2) 10 Parish Electors of the Parish of Kinglassie, in terms of Section 44 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1894—

1. To form into a Special Lighting District that part of the landward part of the Parish of Markinch which is contained within the boundaries of the Special Water and Drainage District of Coaltown of Balgonie, shown as enclosed with a red line on the Plan submitted to the Meeting.

It was also resolved to adopt within and for the purposes of said Special Lighting District the provisions contained in Sections 99 to 105 inclusive of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892.

2. To form into a Special Scavenging District that part of the Parish of Kinglassie which is contained within the boundaries of the Special Lighting District of the Parish of Kinglassie, shown as enclosed with a green line on the Plan submitted to the Meeting.

It was also resolved to adopt within and for the purposes of said Special Scavenging District the provisions

contained in Sections 107 to 127 inclusive, and 253 to 255 inclusive, of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892.

ALEX. BEVERIDGE.
DAVID BEVERIDGE.
Joint District Clerks.

220 High Street, Kirkcaldy,
2nd December 1914.

Highland District Committee of the County Council of the County of Perth.

SPECIAL DRAINAGE DISTRICT AT BRIDGE OF TILT, BLAIR ATHOLL.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of Section 122 of the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, and Section 14 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1908, that the Highland District Committee of the County Council of the County of Perth, being the Local Authority under the said Acts, upon a Requisition by the statutory number of Ratepayers within the Parish of Blair Atholl, and after twenty-one clear days' notice and publication in terms of the said Acts, Resolved at a Meeting held on the 28th day of November 1914 to form the following part of their District at Bridge of Tilt, Blair Atholl, into a Special Drainage District, and defined the boundaries of the said Special Drainage

District as follows, viz. :—“Commencing at the centre of the bridge crossing the River Tilt, thence south eastwards along the public road until it reaches the east side of the old quarry at Ballintouk, thence along the boundary fence southwards from the east side of said quarry till it reaches the Highland Railway, thence westward along north boundary fence of said railway to the centre of the River Tilt, thence northward by the River Tilt to the centre of the bridge which formed the starting point.” Further, the said Local Authority fixed the first day of January nineteen hundred and fifteen as the date on which the Resolution shall take effect.

The full terms of the Resolution, and an Ordnance Survey map on which is laid down the above boundaries of the Special Drainage District, can be inspected at the Office of the District Clerk on any business day except Saturdays, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Any person interested may appeal to the Sheriff against the above Resolution within twenty-one days after the date of its publication in the Edinburgh Gazette on 4th November 1914.

HUGH MITCHELL, Clerk to Local Authority.

Office of the Highland District Committee,
Pitlochry, 2nd December 1914.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased WILLIAM CHARLES STEDMAN, Solicitor, Jedburgh.

JOHN STUART GOWANS, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, having been appointed by the Court of Session Judicial Factor on the Estate of the said deceased William Charles Stedman under the Act III. and IV. George the Fifth, Cap. 20, Sec. 163, requires all the lawful Creditors of the said William Charles Stedman, and other persons interested in his Estate, to lodge with the Judicial Factor, within four months after the date of this notice, a Statement of their Claims as Creditors of the deceased or as otherwise interested in his Estate, with such vouchers or other written evidence as they may have to found upon in support of their claims, in order that the same may be considered and reported upon by the Judicial Factor.

J. STUART GOWANS.

33 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh,
3rd December 1914.

RANKIN STEVEN & COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation) under the Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held within the Liquidator's Office at 61 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 8th day January 1915, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also for the purpose of considering, and if so resolved, of passing the following Extraordinary Resolution :—

“That the books and papers of the Company may be disposed of by the Liquidator in such way as he sees fit.”

JAMES WILSON, F.S.A.A., Liquidator.

61 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
30th November 1914.

THE ACME DISPENSING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held within the Liquidator's Office, 21 Bath Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday the twelfth day of January 1915, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which—the

books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated this third day of December 1914.

THOS. M'CANN, Liquidator.

WILLIAM YOUNG & COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held within the Registered Office, Grange Distillery, Burntisland, on Thursday the 7th day of January 1915, at three o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanations that may be given by the Liquidator.

Dated the 4th day of December 1914.

EWEN M'LEOD.

Grange Distillery, Burntisland.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of Section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a General Meeting of **THE STRANRAER AND DRUM-MORE MOTOR BUS COMPANY, LIMITED** (in Liquidation) will be held at number 13 North Strand Street, Stranraer, on Wednesday, 6th January 1915, at two o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of having laid before the Meeting the account of the Liquidator, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing an explanation thereof given by the Liquidator.

ROBERT MILROY, Liquidator.

National Bank Buildings, Stranraer,
2nd December 1914.

To the Creditors on the Sequestrated Estates of **FORREST BROTHERS**, Butchers, Main Street, Bellshill, as a Firm, and Alexander S. Forrest, Butcher, Main Street, Bellshill, the sole Partner of said Firm.

A DEED of Arrangement having been produced to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire, Mr. Sheriff Fyfe has pronounced the following Deliverance :—

Glasgow, 2nd December 1914.—Having seen the Deed of Arrangement produced, before answer appoints intimation of the production thereof and of this Deliverance to be made by advertisement published in the Edinburgh Gazette and the Glasgow Herald newspaper, and also by circular posted to every Creditor who does not concur in the said Deed, requiring all parties interested who desire to oppose the approval thereof to lodge in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Glasgow a Notice of Appearance within ten days from the date of such publication or posting, reserving thereafter to appoint a Diet for hearing all parties interested, and to make any inquiries which may be deemed necessary; meantime appoints the said Deed and the Process to remain in the hands of the Clerk of Court, subject to inspection.

(Sgd.) T. A. FYFE.

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

J. & J. GARTSHORE SCOTT, Writers, 58 West
Regent Street, Glasgow, Agents.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh, at the instance of Robert Elder, Currier and Leather Factor, Leather Works, St. Johns Hill, Edinburgh, for Summary Sequestration of the Estates of **JOSEPH LECKIE**, Bootmaker, 178 Pleasance, Edinburgh, the Sheriff-Substitute of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Joseph Leckie to appear in Court on an *inducia* of seven days from the date of such citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

R. M'LAREN HENDERSON, Agent for
Pétitioner.

123 George Street, Edinburgh,
2nd December 1914.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark at Glasgow, at the instance of James Greig, Dealer, sometime residing at 76 John Street, Glasgow, now at 196 Rottenrow there, as Tutor and Administrator-at-law of his pupil son William, residing with him, for Summary Sequestration of the Estates of **GEORGE YOUNG**, Blacksmith, carrying on business at 76 John Street, Glasgow, the Sheriff-Substitute of this date granted Warrant to cite, in terms of the Statutes, the said George Young to appear in Court on an *inducive* of seven days from the date of citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; all of which Intimation is hereby given.

JOHN A. WATERS, Agent, 114 West Nile Street, Glasgow.

19th October 1914.

NOTICE.

THE Estates of **A. E. HOLMS & CO.**, 78 Causey-side Street, Paisley, and Alfred E. Holms, residing at Auchordene, Potterhill, Paisley, the only known Partner of said Firm of A. E. Holms & Co., as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on 1st December 1914, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley.

The first Deliverance is dated 18th November 1914.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, 14th December 1914, within the George Temperance Hotel, Paisley.

A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 1st April 1915.

All future advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

THOMAS STARK & Co., Writers, 180 West Regent Street, Agents.

SEQUESTRATION of **JAMES DAVIE, JUNIOR**, Baker, carrying on business at South Inglis Street, Dunfermline.

CHARLES SIMON ROMANES, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Fleming, C.A., 124 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, John Fraser, Merchant, Dunfermline, and George Crichton, Solicitor, Dunfermline, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Dunfermline, on Tuesday, 15th December 1914, at 10.30 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, 23rd December 1914, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

CHARLES S. ROMANES, C.A., Trustee.

50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh,
4th December 1914.

SEQUESTRATION of **T. & R. SPROAT**, Plumbers, 8 St. James' Street, Kinning Park, Glasgow, and Thomas Sproat and Robert Sproat, both Plumbers, 8 St. James' Street, Kinning Park aforesaid, the Partners of said Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THOMSON LIDDELL M'LINTOCK, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and William Ure Harvey, 60 Robertson Street, Glasgow, Thomas P. Cameron, Iron Founder, Kirkintilloch, and David Orr, Secretary, 29 Wellington Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupts will take place within the Chambers of Mr. Sheriff Pyfe, County Buildings, 50 Wilson Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 11th day of December 1914, at 2 o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Thomson M'Lintock & Co., C.A., 149 West George Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 23rd day of December 1914, at 12 o'clock noon.

THOMSON L. M'LINTOCK, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of **ALEXANDER MACTAVISH**, Hotel-Keeper, Richmond Hotel, Tomintoul.

JOHN M'BAIN, Chartered Accountant, 11 Golden Square, Aberdeen, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and William Robb, Solicitor, Keith, James Hepburn, Secretary of Messrs. George Younger & Son Limited, Brewers, Alloa, and William Wotherspoon Hill, Accountant of Anglo-American Oil Company Limited, 41½ Union Street, Aberdeen, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Banff, on Tuesday the 8th December 1914, at 10.30 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of Messrs. Thurburn & Fleming, Solicitors, 163 Mid Street, Keith, on Monday the 21st day of December 1914, at 10 o'clock a.m.

JOHN M'BAIN, C.A., Trustee,

Aberdeen, 1st December 1914.

SEQUESTRATION of **MRS. MARGARET MACLENNAN**, Merchant, 24 Harbour Street, Plockton.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in respect of the absence from the country, on military duties, of the Trustee, the Sheriff of the Counties of Ross and Cromarty and Sutherland at Dingwall has appointed the Creditors of the Bankrupt, the said Mrs. Margaret Maclellan, to hold a Meeting on the twelfth day of December 1914, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Sheriff Court House, Dingwall, for the purpose of electing a new Trustee on the Bankrupt's Sequestrated Estates.

ARTHUR H. DUNCAN, Solicitor,
Dingwall, Agent.

1st December 1914.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of **MRS. AGNES MURRAY** or **GEBBIE**, widow, Bootmaker, 4 Hope Street, Ayr, and trading as **JAMES GEBBIE**, Bootmaker, at 4 Hope Street, Ayr, I hereby call a Meeting of the Creditors in the Sequestration, to be held within my Chambers at 135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 23rd day of December 1914, at 11 o'clock forenoon, to consider as to application to be made for my discharge as Trustee.

JAMES R. HODGE, C.A., Trustee.

135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,
4th December 1914.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of the Deceased **WILLIAM HUTTON**, Engineer, who resided at Apna Place, Uddingston, I hereby intimate that the accounts of my intrusions, brought down to 17th November 1914, have been audited by the Commissioners, and further, that a Dividend will be paid within the Chambers of Messrs. Davies, Tait, & Co., Chartered Accountants, 168 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on and after the 18th day of January 1915, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

3rd December 1914.

SEQUESTRATION of **DAVID CORSAR & SONS**, Manufacturers, Arbroath, and William Hannay Corsar, Charles Corsar, and Harry Corsar, the Individual Partners.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that accounts of his intrusions with the funds of the Estates, brought down to 17th ultimo, have been made up by him and audited by the Commissioners in terms of the Statutes, and that declarations of further Dividends have been postponed until the expiry of another statutory period.

SYDNEY MILNE, C.A., for the Trustee.

11 Reform Street, Dundee,
2nd December 1914.

To the Creditors on the Sequestrated Estates of
EPHRAIM LAWRIE, Slater and Plasterer, 21
North Saint Mungo Street, Glasgow.

BY virtue of an Order of the Sheriff-Substitute of
Lanarkshire at Glasgow, Ephraim Lawrie, above
designed, hereby intimates that he has presented a
Petition to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow, to
be finally discharged of all debts contracted by him
before the date of the Sequestration of his Estates,
in terms of the Statute.

JOHN TURNER, Agent for Petitioner.

118 Queen Street, Glasgow,
30th November 1914.

CHRISTIE, GREIG, & CO.

THE Executors of the deceased William Kelman Greig,
Granite Merchant, Aberdeen, who carried on
business there under the Firm name of CHRISTIE,
GREIG, & COMPANY, in which he had no Partner,
having sold the said Business as at 9th June 1914, have
now no interest in or responsibility in connection there-
with.

Dated at Aberdeen, the first day of November 1914.

ELIZA JANE GREIG,

MARY DAVIDSON, Executrices.

Signed in presence of—

ROBT. TODD, Solicitor, 259 Union Street,
Aberdeen,

HARRY R. FORBES, Clerk, 259 Union
Street, Aberdeen.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Charles Alfred Dungey, late Adam and Eve public-
house, 71 Hoxton Street, Hoxton, county of London,
but whose present residence or place of business the
Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain, late
victualler.

Elsa D'Usez, 43 Berners Street, Oxford Street, lately
residing at 18 Hatfield House, Great Titchfield Street,
and 7 Arundell Street, Coventry Street, all in London,
spinster.

W. Harris (trading as The Kensington Fine Art Gallery),
172 Church Street, Kensington, in the county of
London, dealer in antiques.

F. Jacobsen & Co., 35 Tooley Street, county of London,
provision merchants.

The Reverend Charles Percy Jones, rector of West Mill,
Buntingford, Hertfordshire, formerly the Rectory,
West Mill aforesaid, and 54 Carlton Hill, St. John's
Wood, London, but whose present residence the
Petitioner is unable to ascertain, clerk in holy ord^s.

Evan Jones, 175 Lambeth Walk, county of London,
dairyman.

William Tindal King, 10 Little Stanhope Street, and
44 Clarges Street, both London.

Henry Powell Richards, 35 Mecklenburgh Square, lately
practising at 5 Great James Street, Bedford Row,
both London, solicitor.

William Thomson Ross, 46 Park Avenue South, Crouch
End, lately residing at 15 Highgate Avenue, Highgate,
both London, N., commercial traveller.

Alexander Strang, 53 London Road, Southwark, London.

Israel Aaron, 36 Mincing Lane, Blackburn, picture
framer and photographic enlarger.

Richard Stanley Fryers (described in the Petition as
Richard Samuel Fryers), 16 and 18 Blackburn Road,
Clayton-le-Moors, milliner, &c.

Alfred Joseph Loader, residing and carrying on business
at 15 Carr Road, and lately residing and carrying on
business at 3 Forest Street, both in Nelson, in the
county of Lancaster, medical electrician.

Catherine Hammond Rushworth, residing and carrying
on business at the White Hart Hotel, White Hart
Fold, Todmorden, in the county of York, licensed
victualler (widow).

Charles Christopher Brown, 37 Hills Road, Cambridge,
oil and hardware merchant.

Robert Munro Purves, Railway Terrace, New Shildon,
county of Durham, draper.

William John Harding, Station Road, Budleigh Salter-
ton, Devonshire, builder.

Arthur Robert Coles, 45 Catherine Street, Frome,
Somerset, butcher.

Albert Sidney Mees, Mells, near Frome, Somerset, baker
and grocer.

John Wilfred Benton, The Willows, Fulstow, Lincoln-
shire, hay and straw merchant.

Arthur Henry Skelton, 86 Victoria Street, Great Grimsby,
draper.

Albert Edward Bournier, lately residing and carrying on
business at 79 New Bank, and 64 Portland Road,
Halifax, Yorkshire, but now residing at 45 Leonard
Street, off Beverley Road, Hull, Yorkshire, con-
fectioner and caterer (now out of business).

John Fletcher, Water Lane, Halifax, in the county of
York, and 3 Shibden Fold, Stump Cross, Halifax
aforesaid, packing case maker.

John Robert Holland, residing at Bayton House,
Horsforth, in the county of York, and carrying on
business at 33 Town Street, Horsforth aforesaid,
forage merchant.

Alexander Phillips (trading as Phillips & Co.), 30 St.
George's Terrace, in the city of Leeds, and carrying on
business at Claypit Lane, Leeds aforesaid, boot and
shoe manufacturer.

John Cart, Highercoft, Freeman Road, in the county
borough of Leicester, cattle dealer.

George Edwin Rowell, 30 Rasen Lane, in the city of
Lincoln, painter and decorator.

Bernard Boyers, residing and carrying on business at
74 Eastbourne Street, in the city of Liverpool, in his
own name, tailor and draper, also trading as the
Cambridge Tailoring Company at 66 Walton Road,
Liverpool aforesaid, as T. Healy at 95 Scotland
Road, Liverpool aforesaid, and under the style of
Fraser & Shaw at 18 Brunswick Road, Liverpool
aforesaid, and 72 Church Street, St. Helens, in the
county of Lancaster.

Francis John Parsons and Joseph Wade, trading as
Parsons & Wade at 160 Kensington, Liverpool,
bespoke tailors, and trading as Camerons at 79 Walton
Road, Liverpool, 134 County Road, Liverpool, and
26 Stanley Road, Bootle, all in the county of Lan-
caster.

Arnold Robert Bullard, 1 Redwell Street, Norwich, and
36 Avenue Road, Norwich, hairdresser.

Richard Jones, 38 Pentre Road, Mardy, Glamorgan,
colliery roadman.

George Ernest Martin, Yew Lodge, St. Paul's Road, in
the county borough of Bournemouth, architect's
manager.

Robert Ward, residing at 6 Lowfield Road, Stockport,
Cheshire, and trading at Royal George Street, Stock-
port aforesaid, as Taylor & Co., agent.

John Evans, residing and carrying on business at Bryn-
field, Bishopston, near Swansea, builder and con-
tractor.

Edward Burchell, High Street, Midsomer Norton,
Somerset, saddler and harness maker.

Emma Thatcher Steadman, 58 Dudley Road, Wolver-
hampton, in the county of Stafford, baker and grocer
(widow).

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